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The Honorable Kent A. Jordan District Court of Delaware 844 North King Street Wilmington, DE 19899

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RE: Massarelli vs. USA et al

Case Number: 1:05-cv-00266-KAJ

Dear Judge Jordan:

This letter will serve as a status update regarding the above-referenced matter. Counsel for Defendant United Sates, James Woods, Esquire has requested medical authorizations, a list of Plaintiff's treating doctors and a formal settlement demand from Plaintiff. Counsel for Defendant Jeffery McCarthy, has requested a response to discovery from the Defendant United States and has also requested a formal settlement demand.

Plaintiff is in the process of serving discovery on the defendants and will be obtaining dates in November for the depositions of the defendants. A formal settlement demand should be submitted to the defendant's no later than October 15, 2006.

Thank you.

Respectfully submitted,

/s/ William F. Jaworski Jr.

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